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TITLE: METHOD FOR DIVIDING THE BIT RATE OF QPSK SIGNALS  
INTO TWO OR SEVERAL SUBCHANNELS

**SUBMISSION OF SUBSTITUTE DECLARATION  
AND RULE 312 AMENDMENT**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowance dated September 22, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 5 of this paper.